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Clearance -: - Sale.

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by druggists at 35 cents.

CUTTING TIME

Though our winter trade has been exceptionally good and we we are not to be found among the mourners, yet we have a few goods we want to sell and the sooner they are sold the better we shall feel. We must begin to plan for the spring campaign, and want room and money to carry out the plans we formulate. To secure these two essentials we have

CUT THE HEADS OFF

the prices on our entire stock of Overcoats, Heavy Suits, Gloves, Caps, Underwear, etc. They must make way for our spring purchases, and now is thettime to buy these cold-weather goods. Don't beg off but come to the decapitating sale.

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Store room, Stone Block.
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One lot on West Tremont street, \$425
One lot on South Erie street, \$600.
Two lots on Wechter street, \$225.
Forty-two lots in Kent Jarvis' 2d add. \$800 to 648
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\$2,100.

One lost just off West Tremont street, \$300.

Six lots near the C., L. & W. and W. & I., R. railroads, \$300.

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SALMAGUNDI.

TO-DAY'S DOINGS IN THIS TOWN Personal Notes and Brief Mention of Many Things.

THE WEATHER-For Ohio-Wednesday fair. lowly rising temperature.

Miss Julia Rudenstein has returned home.

Ash Wednesday was celebrated to-day in many of the churches. At the Hotel Conrad: C. E. Walton,

Cleveland; John A. Reed, Pittsburg. The Misses Anna and Etta Murtongh, of Navarre, are visiting Massillon friends.

Dr. Kirkland will return this evening from a two days' business trip to Cleve-

A daughter was born Tuesday night to Mr. and Mrs. Walpool, in North Mill

W. O. Bean has fitted up an electrical vapor bath, in his Main street establish-Miss Jennie Rollins has gone to Canal

Dover to spend two weeks visiting friends. Mrs. George Young and grandson,

Karl, went to Burton City this morning, to visit relatives. The Rev. D. W. Sprinkle, of Ashland,

O., left the city this morning on a W. & L. E. train north. Geo. W. Squires has taken a position as motor-man on the Canton electric

street car system. Mr. Herman Marks, who has been ill for some time, was down street for the

first time yesterday. The board of education met last night, ordered the payment of all salaries and

bills, and adjourned, Mr. E. S. Mills, who left for his parents home in Barnesville, last week is

now sick and in bed. Frank Rees and mother went to Wheeling this morning to attend the funeral of Mrs. Rees' brother.

Theo. F. Geltz is in Mansfield, temporarily filling a position with the Mansfield Paper Company, in the absence of one

\$1,000 was sold, in small lots, at eleven cents premium The wedding party, following the marriage of O. H. Miller to Miss Mary Whit-

At the meeting of the Loan and Build

man yesterday, was attended by fiftyone guests last night. Mrs. Mary Reese, of State street, left this morning for Wheeling, W. Va., to

The annual election of the League of week. Jas. R. Dunn will undoubtedly be re-elected president. Peter F. Koontz removed his family

Mr. Richard Walters.

to-day to Monroeville and a large num bea of friends were at the W. & L. E. depot to say good bye to them. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Clouse, of Cleveland, are in the city, having been called

here by the sickness of Mrs. Clouse's mother, Mrs. Leonard Hess. The short item in yesterday's paper, relative to the entertainment at St. Mary's people should have been credited

as the work of all the teachers, and not one or two. Coroner Openheimer was telegraphed for, and arrived this morning, but returned this afternoon. To a reporter he stated that he was convinced that his ser-

vices were not needed. N. Swan and David Clark, of this city, secured the final signatures to a fifteen year's lease of the Wolf Creek stone quarry at New Portage, O., yesterday. Work will be commenced next week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. McLain and Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Russell have gone to Toledo, to attend the wedding, this even-

Walter McCloskey, a 12 year-old boy was before the mayor this afternoon charged with malicious destruction of the property of S. Hunt. He was reeased, on account of his ago and this

being his first offense. A pleasant surprise party was given on Monday night at the home of Mr. Henry Wagner, West Main street, which was planned by his sisters and brothers, and the children of Mr. Wagner. He was presented with a gold headed cane as a remembrance of his fittieth birthday. At 12 o'clock supper was served and all had a good time.

Miss Katie McGreal took place last night at the Rev. Dr. Stafford's rectory at 7 o'clock, after which they repaired to the home of the bride, in Wismar avenue, lined. where about seventy-five people took supper, after which dancing and other amusements were indulged in until a late hour. The presents were numerous and costly.

The necessary but unsightly barricades which have been standing about the Hotel Conrad entrance since last fall, when repairs commenced, were dropped to-day, unveiling a handsome modern entrance, through which the first man to pass was H. B. Coe, of Cleveland. All of the old office partitions have been torn down, and the only space not devoted to office purposes is a telegraph office and reading room. The floor has been paved with marble and the ceiling paneled. The improvement makes the Hotel Conrad, in these respects, one of the pest anywhere. It remains only to be hoped that the loafers will not be again allowed to hang about as they did months ago.

GEN. SHERMAN'S CONDITION. Slightly Better, But a Slight Change May Cause Death.

Special Dispatch to The Independent. WASHINGTON, Feb. 11.-Private dis patches recived here make it certain that Gen. Sherman is very near death's door.

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.-Gen. Sherman is very slightly better this morning, but there is no use disguising the fact that Senator Sherman has arrived. The doctors say that the chances are in favor of and to consider other matters. recovery, but a very slight unfavorable change will result fatally. Messages of parts of the country, mainly, of course, from old soldiers and military organiza-

2:15 p. m.-Sherman is worse. 2:45 p. m.-General Sherman is dving.

STAFFORD'S ELOQUENCE.

THE RECTOR OF ST. JOSEPH'S
AS A PLATFORM LECTURER.

from Shakespeare Superbly Rendered by the Young Preacher-His Methods and His Voice-The Elements of Eloquence.

Let credit be given to whom credit is the encomium of having given to the people of Massillon an entertainment of rare merit. The large audience that greeted him showed that much expectation was afoot. Universal opinion des clares this expectation fully realized. Dr. Stafford's reputation had been abroad for some time in this city, as well as elsewhere, and the opportunity to hear him at his best was looked forward to with an eager appetite. That an appreciative audience did truly relish his presentations certainly attests the palatableness of the menu.

His is a voice, gifted by nature, modulated and cultivated by elocutionary drill, sweetened by sympathetic touches that srouse, and calm, and melt the hearer. Emanating from a person that is uncommonly graceful in carriage, eloquent in look and feature, scholarly in utterance, intelligent in bearing, its effects were impressive and captivating in the extreme. It is well adapted to the grand parts of Shakespeare, and as ing Company, last night, the use of the greater includes the less could no doubt personate tho more delicate. The inimitable rendering of the Cassius speech wherein Cæsar, sick in Spain, calls for drink like a sick girl, showed it could follow even to pertect imitation the mental conceptions of the speaker. In Mark Antony the speaker did not get the loan of the ears of his "Friends, his Romans, his Countrymen:" he stole them. Had he admitted the speeches of attend the funeral of her brother-in-law, the excited "citizens" at the close of the oration the electrification would have been complete. But no complaint is entered; the preference is to hear the American Wheelmen will take place next | dector in a character of dignity and loftiness than in one of few cubits height. It was indeed gratifying to hear Prince Hamlet soliloquize as a philosopher than as a madman. Cardinal Woolsey never deprecated "prince's favors," or "flang away ambition" with more bitter execrations or fell more like Lucifer than the forceful, heightened and passionate impersonation of Dr. Stafford

"No passions," however, "were torn to tatters," but as naturally rendered as best learning and scholarly judgment could conceive them. Certainly the doctor has enobling notions of the Shakesperian drama. The apparent ease with which he enters in and out of the impersonations and the realness with which he keeps up the action throughout each, indicates that his mental substance is unusually susceptible to dramatic effects both in power to conceive and to deliver. If the pulpit and divinity are his forte, where, one mig t ask, do the stage and dramatic art lie?

The prefatory analysis of the elements of eloquence at the opening of his address was critical, studied and allsufficient. His penetration of his theme evinced the true metaphysical insight and disquisition. It was a word painting, elaborate, but of faultless diction, and replete with Shakespeare's best gems. On the whole the lecture was unique, instructive and highly artistic.

THE POSTMASTERSHIP

John H. Williams Out in Favor of Clement Russell.

A petition is in circulation favoring Clement Russell for postmaster. It is also commonly understood in connection with this matter that John H. Williams has withdrawn as a candidate in Mr. Russell's fayor. Henry Huber was seen he was not in the field as a fighting candidate he was not in it to withdraw, and did not expect to do so. John B. Wert, the one other candidate, said substantially the same thing. Currency was The marriage of Mr. John Charlton and given this morning by ill-informed persons that a recommendation had been made by Major McKinley. This is un-

Venezuela Next.

Special Dispatch to The Independent. NEW YORK, Feb. 11.-A Times special from Washington says that reciprocity treaty was concluded with Venezuela. The proclamation will be issued in a

Cashier Missing.

pecial Dispatch to The Independent. AYER, MASS., Feb. 11.-Spaulding. eashier both of the First National and North Middlesex banks is gone. There is a shortage of \$100,000. Both banks are closed.

Boys' watches for from \$4.50 to \$6.00 at Sugar way down at Albright & Co.'s.

WANTED, STREET CARS.

TOWN TOPICS DISCUSSED BY THE BOARD OF TRADE.

H. H. Everbard Elected Bond Trustee - Better Telegraph Facilities -Committee Changes-Street Railroad Matters Fully Ventilated.

Owing to the absence of Senator Howells, who is in Columbus, Vice President his family fears the worst. The sons and R cks called the board of trade to order. daughters have been summoned and in special session, last night, to fill a vacancy on the board of bond trustees,

James Peacock, Z. T. Baltz y and H. H. Everhard were nominated to fill the vacancy, the ballot standing Peacock 2, inquiry come in by the hundred from all Baltziy 7, Everhard 8. Mr. Everhard was declared elected.

The secretary read a resolution adopted by the city council, requesting Sena-tor Howel's to incorporate in the bills now before the legislature for local improvements, a provision requiring a submission of the various acts to the people, to be invalid without an affirmative vote of three fiths of the entire vote cast. Mr. Ricks then said that his motion, carried at the last regular meeting of the board, asking Senator Howells to fix the necessary affirmative vote at two-thirds of the whole, was made without knowledge that the board of trade's improvement bill stipulated a three-fifths affirmative vote. He advised uniformity. The former motion was therefore reconsidered, and due and thus bestow upon Dr. Stafford the senator requested to make the bills

the same, the vote necessary to pass in each case to be two-fifths of the whole.

H. H. Everhard and J. A. Shoemaker, from the committee on railroads and under instructions to communicate with the Pennsylvania Company, in regard to the disposition of the M. & C. railroad, requested to be relieved from duty, as Mr. Everhard is almost exclusively a shipper over the Pennsylvania lines, and Mr. Shoemaker the company's resident agent. Mr. McCaughey moved, and it was agreed to, that the gentlemen be transferred to some other committee. In compliance therewith the chair placed them upon the committee upon electrical railways, removing therefrom to the committee on railroads Charles Fogel and F. Edward Snyder.

C. A. Gates brought up the question of telegraph facilities. The closing of a l the telegraph offices during the noon and evening hour was a frequent cause of personal inconvenience and likely was also to others; moreover in smaller cities than this, the telegraph offices were kept open during business hours. F. Hookway endorsed what Mr. Gates had said. Mr. Gates moved, and it was agreed to, that the subject be referred to the committee on telephones, telegraph and electric railways, to ascertain what could be done.

Joseph Corns spoke of the deplorable condition of the streets and hoped that the board would liend its influence to push the matter of paving them, not in mere patches, but to an extent amounting to something. The chair mentioned the probability of the construction of a street railway before

many months, and thought it would be

well could the tracks be laid before the permanent improvement of the streets. R. W. McCaughey thought the idea expressed by the chair valuable especially as it was the rule, when street franchises were given, to require the company to pay for paving between the tracks and two feet on each side. The expense to abutting property owners would thus be materially lessened. He hoped that street cars would soon be running, for they seemed to affect the life of a community, quickening both

thought and action. I. M. Taggart said that a gentleman-Mr. Eberly, of Ohio City, had been here a few days before, with a view to asking for a franchise. He had learned this through THE INDEPENDENT and afterward had been told that some prominent business man had said to Eberly that nobody could get a franchise from this town: that others had tried and failed.

Secretary Jones stated that Mr. Eberly had been in communication with the proper committee. L. A. Koons said tnat it was true, as he himself had introduced Mr. Everly to the committee on electric railways. The visitor had expressed himself as desirous of building a road, in case he could also build on to Canton. Mr. McCaughey here stirred up the

committee on electric railways. Here was a man, ready to build just what was wanted, and the most the board knew of him was through the medium of a daily paper. Why was not the committee on hand to report. Mr. Corns moved, and it was agreed to,

that the first name appearing on the committe lists, be understood as chairman of such committee. The board then adjourned and the ex-

ecutive committee went into session. The Executive Meeting.

A meeting of the executive committee was held immediately after the adjournment of the special session of the board on the subject, and said briefly that while of trade. Several communications were presented by the secretary, which he had recently received, in reference to valuable and important manufacturing industries desiring to locate in Ohio, or seeking a chance of location in order to secure better railroad facilities, or for other reasons. These were referred to the committee on new enterprises for investigation. Nothing further can be done in this direction until the improvement bond bill has been passed by the general assembly and appoved by a three-fifths vote of the citizens.

That Street Railway.

A reporter called upon Chairman Von Kanel of the board of trade's electric railway committee, and discovered that a report had not been made before, because there was nothing then to report. Mr. Eberly had given the project up, Mr. Von Kanel said, because he had been informed that a right of way between Canton and Massillon had been obtained for another company, some months before. Since it had been learned that no right of way had been granted and a correspondence with Mr. Eberly was ex-

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This Date in History-Feb. 11. 1867—Projected attack of Fe-nians on Chester castle de-feated by the vigilance of

the authorities and the arrival of the military.

1870—Steamer City of Boston sailed from New York; a board subsequently found stating that she was sinking.

1873—Abdication of King Ama- GIDEON WELLES. deus of Spain; republican government adopted

by the Cortes. 1878-Died, Hon. Gideon Welles, ex-secretary of navy, in Hartford, Conn.; born 1803. 1880-Sherlock James Andrews, jurist, died in

Cleveland, O.: born 1801 1884—Died in Brooklyn, N. Y., Thomas Kinsella, editor of The Eagle; aged 52 years. 1889—Constitution of Japanese empire proclaimed

The manner in which the board of trade does business is indicative of harmony with a big H.

The largest commercial body in Detroit has sent a communication to Secretary Blaine thanking him for his labor in bringing about the treaty with Brazil. It means an enlarged market for American goods

Major McKinley is announced to speak at the Toledo banquet tomoraow night, in reply to Grover Cleveland's Columbus address. The Toledo affair is to be an event of events, and any visitors who go from here will find the excursion profit-

The Mansfield News has just moved into a handsome new building, with a tower clock, an imposing front, and a well arranged interior. The News is a good enough paper for a town three or four times Mansfield's size, and its present home is in keeping with its quality.

Sir John MacDonald says that commercial union with Canada is veiled treason, and Goldwin Smith tering and John Edwards. He was a writes that public morality in Can-prominent member of the I. O. O. F. and writes that public morality in Canada is in such low estate that honesty and honor are the exception and not the rule. Under the circumstances, it might be just as well should the MacDonald party win in the coming Canadian election. This country certainly has no use for Canada if its politics are worse than

The sole claim of the projectors of the memorial building, to be erected in Canton, at a cost of \$25,000 to the county at large, is, that various county societies have now no place in which to meet. Inasmuch as Secretary Niesz of the Agricultural Society, states that that organization needs no such structure, as its wants must be looked after by the commissioners, and as other societies prefer under any circumstances to meet about, the claim is wholly unfounded. Stark county should keep out of this building enterprise.

Mr. Cleveland is still silent on silver. To one reporter he said, substantially, "You are the fourth man to ask my opinion to-day on this question. I am not in public life and I don't care to be interviewed." That is begging off. Any man who can talk as long as the Claimant ou the turiff, and who can write as many glittering generalities on the subject, even if not in official life, ought not to flinch from the silver question. But Mr. Cleveland is not courageous. He is brutally blunt and obstinate. He lacks all the finer elements of

Neighborhood Press.

THE VOICE OF EXPERIENCE. The Massillon council has adopted a resolution declaring it necessary to purchase land for a site and to construct thereon city buildings, including engine house, and seeks legislative authority to bond Massillon for \$35,000 for that pur-Better make it \$70,000. That sum won't be any too much.-Wooster Dem-

The Horse Protective Society.

Among the last things done yesterday evening, by the Stark County Horse Protective Society, was the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the thanks of this society are hereby tendered to Anthony Howells for his efforts in procuring the passage of an amendment to the laws governing our society.

AT THE COUNTY SEAT. Snatches of News from City and the Court House.

CANTON, Feb. 11.—Henry Lakes, employed at the North Industry mines of Ridgway Burton & Co., was crushed to death by falling rock which was loosened by a blast. His mangled body was discovered by a brother miner He was 28 years old, and leaves a wife in delicate

Marshal Edward Roberts, of Louis ville, charged with exceeding his authority, has been held to probate court in \$300 bond. Five witnesses were examined before Justice Ringle, and considerable spicy evidence wus offered.

Marriage licenses have been issued to Alexis Tormet and Elizabeth Snyder, Canton; Louis Loichot and Mary Mc-Donald, Louisville; Charles Dunn and Anna McClenerly, Alliance.

Burglars entered the farm home of Bryson Smith, yesterday, and stole \$30 in money. No clue.

Jackson Machamer was lodged in jail yesterday, charged with stealing hams. He lives at Hartville.

Newman.

James X. Jones has gone to Sherman to spend a few days with his sister.

Mr and Mrs. Thos. Masters and Mr. and Mrs. John Saddler spent Sunday at North Lawrence.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gainey have grown tired of Caperton, W. Va., and returned to this, the place of their first

Dr. H. W. Kitchen, of Cleveland, O., was here looking after his coal interests. He made a tour of the Drake mine.

A fine surprise party was given at the pleasant home of John Prossar on Monday evening of last week, the event being the eighteenth birthday anniversary

Mr. William Lilley, of Sherrodsville, was here in attendance at the funeral of his old companion, Joseph Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. John G Edwards, of Caperton, W. Va., are spending a few days with friends at this place. Mr, and Mrs. Mordecai, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Davis, Miss Jennie Rowlands

and Wm. Findley and fam ly ate their Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. B. Davis, of Massilion. The Baptist church people will give a dime social at the residence of Mrs. Geo Edwards on Tuesday evening of next

The miners' national convention is in progress at Columbus this week, and Cameron Miller is in attendance in the interest of the Keller shaft miners. Patrick McBryde, of Pennsylvania, is being groomed by his friends to succeed Rob-

ert Watchorn as secretary-treasurer. The remains of the late Joseph Hal reached this place from Caperton, W. Va., on Wednesday of last week, the funeral taking place on Thursday, under the auspices of Enterprise Division U. R. K. of P. of Massillon, and Lawrence Lodge K. of P., all of them making a fine appearance and leaving a favorable impression with our people, the services being conducted by the Rev. Lister, of North Lawrence. The deceased met his death instantly by a fall of stone while at work. The body was accompanied here by David Morgan, S. S. Nut-K. of P., and his funeral was one of the

largest ever seen in our vicinity. Literary in the Corn Dodger school district is flourishing. Big houses and good performances make it a success.

The wrestling match announced to take place at Boss Smith's Corners on Saturday evening failed to materialize.

North Lawrence,

John Hammonds jr., who had his arm broken by a mule crushing him against a post in the Minglewood mine, is rapidly recovering.

On account of the mild weather the mines hereabout are beginning to slack-

The passage of the eight hour day bill meets with general satisfaction by the in 1837. Landing miners of this vicinity.

As the state convention of the miners has come and gone and the officers elected for the coming year, it is to be hoped that each miner will contribute his mite in aid of the organization. Let the miners of this section, who solhastily and ill advisedly dispensed with the payment of the defense fund, recommence and continue its payment until the majority says otherwise. Their action in the discontinuence of its payment dose not receive the praise and approbation of union men. But as long as the poltroon is to be played there is always men found ready and willing to play it.

In the Mayor's Court.

A hearing was had Tuesday evening in the case of "Sep" and Albert Hose, Nathan Klotz, George Snyder and Frank Mauger, the boys charged with breaking into a C., L. & W. freight car. Each was fined the costs and ordered to the city prison to atone for their misdeeds, but. in consideration for their youth and the first offense, the imprisonment feature of the penalty was not enforced.

Mr. Winfield McDaniel arrived last

night from Pottsville, Pa., to look after his son, Charles G. McDaniel, who was locked up charged with the theft of \$50 from John Pletch, who boarded with Thomas McDaniel, uncle of Charles Mc-Daniel. The father reimbursed the loser of the money, paid the costs, and took the erring son to Pottsville with him.

Wants to Move Here.

Xavier Kern, the coal drill manufacturer of West Brookfield, was in town this morning. He has now exclusive control of a number of valuable patents for appliances used in and about coal mines, and would, therefore, like very much to be able to move to Massillon, so as to have railway connections, and at the same time have the necessary advantage of being in a coal producing cepter, where his trade is established.

I have patents upon a steel coal car,' said he, "that can be made as cheaply as the common wooden cars, and which will answer the purpose better and last longer. I should like to move into Mas- will handle a full line of general goods, sillon, and if enabled to do so, would employ ten men at the start. Yes, I should be glad to hear from the boars. should be glad to hear from the board of trade, and hope that that body will investigate my business.'

Latest designs in ladies' small-sized gold watches at C. F. Von Kanel's.

THEIR FAME IS SECURE.

Two Noted Authors Whose Deaths Are of Recent Date. Two men of note in the literary world

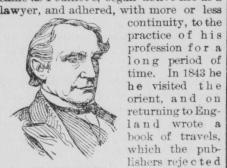
have joined the "silent majority" within the last few days. One was a Frenchman distinguished for versatility and manifold talents. who from his ma-

turity until the day of his death was constantly before the public either as a novelist, playwright, journalist, poet or philosopher. The other was an Englishman who wrote but two

books, yet in OCTAVE FEUILLET. those showed large ability, and by them secured a place in the front rank of authors and historians. The former was William Kinglake, and each scored his first triumph on the battlefield of letters when 32 years of age.

The Frenchman's fame came from a romance published over the nom de plume of Desire Hazard. Once recognized and in demand, his literary fecundity showed no bounds. Comedies, tales and reviews poured forth in a steady stream from the nib of his exhaustless pen. In his own peculiar realm he was the vogue for thirty-five years. He became an "immortal" of the French academy in 1862, a Knight of the Legion of Honor in 1863, and the subsequent year librarian of the imperial residences, a position which he held until the revolution of 1870. Feuillet's most remarkable work, "La Morte," was published in 1886. He was over 78 years old at the time of his death.

Kinglake, whose age was about the same as Feuillet's, began active life as a



A. W. KINGLAKE. with scorn. He

finally got it in type by guaranteeing the printer against loss. It gained a phenomenal popularity, and even to this day "Eothen," as the volume is entitled, holds its place, unequaled for richness of language and brilliancy of description. It has had many imitators, but no rival.

As a civilian Mr. Kinglake viewed and participated in the Crimean war. That terrible struggle furnished the theme for his second venture into print. He wrote "The Invasion of the Crimea," a work filling six ample volumes, and phenomenal for the fearlessness and candor with which the subject is treated. The British government, whose errors and stupidity it exposed, frowned upon it, and Napoleon, who was mercilessly lashed in its pages, would not allow the work entrance to France. From 1857 to For the last score of years his life was one of well earned ease.

Henry M. Stanley's Foster Father. All the civilized world has heard of Henry M. Stanley, the famous African explorer, and many people are aware of the fact that Stanley was not the name of his parents, but of the man who gave him his education and his start in life.

Henry Hope Stanley, the person referred to as the benefactor of the celebrated traveler, was a native of Eng-

land. Born in 1815, he made his way to America at Charleston, S. C., he drifted westward to Texas. There he married and accumulated some property. Later

on he removed to New Orleans, HENRY HOPE STANLEY. where his wife died. After a time Mr. Stanley remarried, but both his unions proved fruitless. Being without a family, the childless man lavished his affection upon various orphans, whom he adopted and reared.

Of the girl waifs who received his care one died soon after her marriage, while another eloped with the coachman and was disowned. Henry also incurred the foster father's displeasure, and went out into the world to make his way single handed through many perils to a magnificent triumph. Mr. Stanley died in 1878 on his plantation in Louisiana, a wealthy; desolate old man. His second wife had preceded him to the tomb, and of the many children who owed their prosperity, if not their very existence, to his care and kindness, not one was present at his bedside to soothe his last moments or receive his farewell blessing.

The Stop Over Privilege. Passenger-Is this ticket good to stop Conductor—Yes'm. But it won't be good to git on again.—New York Weekly.

A Paradox.

In tailors' shops we sometimes see Strange things of every sort; For instance, we oft wonder why
Tall men are often short. -Clothier and Furnisher.

Scotch Sarsaparilla

50 cents per bottle, 50 doses, is the best blood purifier, pleasant to take and thorough in its action. For sale by Morganthaler & Heister.

T. Getz has opened a first class com-

A God send is Ely's Cream Balm. I had catarrh for three years. Two or three times a week my nose would bleed. Your Balm has cure ne -Mrs. Jackson, Portsmouth, N. H.

ECHOES FROM THE SHOPS.

Note and Comment on Men and Do ings at Russell Co.'s. Mr. Henry Hubbard left for Lock

Port, N. Y., last night, whither he goes

in the interest of Russell & Co. Mr. William H Stansbury now glides along with the gentle movements of a ham-strung horse. He wished to drop an engine tongue, and not wishing to injure the tongue, he placed his great toe where the iron on the end of the toe where the iron on the end of the tongue would fall upon it, believing that the iron would be less liable to be marred than the wood. William was right, too, es we have examined the tongue and it

is not injured in the least. We were all grateful to see the timely correction concerning our old shopmate, Mr. John Pletch, in last night's INDE-PENDENT. The boys would willingly trust their all to John, knowing him as

Mr. Harry Blocker has returned from his last trip to Bolivar, handsomer than ever. They say there are only ninety-Octave Feuillet, the latter Alexander nine people of the name of Lab down around that attractive locality, and they are all ambitious to get Harry into their circle so as to make the even one hun-

> Should anyone meet the guitar and banjo combination consisting of L. S Buttermore and Nathan Klotz they will serve a worthy purpose by dropping a nickel in the tin cup they will present, as they have but three strings between them and are endeavoring to raise the Many of the boys in the wood depart-

ment heaved a sigh of relief when their old shopmate, Otto Miller, made the leap yesterday into the sea of matrimony. They feel that there will be some show for them, with the handsome and irrisistable Otto enrolled as a benedict. Few are aware that much credit is due to the comrades in the wood department for the elegance of his deportment and the dignity of his carriage during the critical moments of the ceremony. The noon hour of the day before will long be remembered by the boys who assisted in wearing off his bashful timpractice of his idity, by walking up and down the profession for a floor with him drilling in bows and courtesies that would do credit to any queen of society. And to see the hungry ook on Brother John Martin's face as he viewed the performance from a neighboring tool bench caused us to turn aside and drop a tear as we endeavored to swallow the lump in our throat.

Mr. Henry Wagner, who has passed the fiftieth mile stone in his ironsmashing career, and who was presented with a handsome gold headed cane by his children as a momento of the occasion, says that the most surprising feature of all, to him, was that his neighbors seemed so much pleased to do him honor after their varied experiences with him in the last quarter of a century. in the way of quarrels over line fences. and other matters, such as demanding that they leave their garden gates open for his chickens to enjoy the onion beds, while he would set string corn for theirs should they happen to pass the inside of the alley. This, of course, he intended should be private, but it is down now and we can't help it. We have not seen the cane, but we expect to test its

weight when we meet him. Quite a number of Frank Traphagan's from the shop passed a pleasant evening at his home last evening F. G. Borden, who has always ridiculed the champions as amateurs compared with his tragetic 1868 Mr. Kinglake was a member of ability in the game of checkers, never the evening. Mr. James Siffert carried off the prize.

> The Massilion Market. Farmers are receiving the following prices to-day, February 11.

Wheat, per bu..... Eggs per doz A Fountain Pen for 10 Cents.

The new fountain pen is much better than the old favorite, and in many respects as good as its high-priced brother. The Independent Co.

I have had nasal catarrh for ten years so bad that there were two great sores in my nose, and one place was eaten I got Ely's Cream Balm. Two bottles did the work. My nose and head are well.-I feel like another man .- C. 8. McMillen, Sibley, Jackson Co., Mo.

Catarrh In the head Is a constitutional Disease, and requires A constitutional remedy Like Hood's Sarsaparilla. Which purifies the blood, Makes the weak strong, Restores health. Try it now.



The importance of purifying the blood cannot be overestimated, for without pure blood you cannot enjoy good health. At this season nearly every one needs a good medicine to purify, vitalize, and enrick the blood, and Hood's Sarsaparilla is worthy your confidence. It is peculiar in that it strengthens and builds up the system, creates an appetite, and tones the digestion, while it eradicates disease. Give it a trial. Hood's Sarsaparilla is sold by all druggists. Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass.

100 Doses One Dollar

EXCURSION RATES

On various lines of Clothing, Hats, Caps and Furnishing Goods at

Dielhenn's Double Clothing Store

Our big discounts are making great headway in the disposal of our immense stock.

An all Wool Black Cheviot Suit

Made to Order for \$18.38.

J. & H. DIELHENN.

11 E. Main and 6 S. Erie St.,

Massillen, O.

For Bargains in Carriages & Wagons See P, H. Young

CREDITOR'S SALE!

Of the entire stock of Diamonds, Watches, Jewelry, Solid Silver and Silver Plated Ware of

HATHAWAY THE JEWELER. No. 2 E. Main St.

THE SALE WILL COMMENCE Thursday, Feb. 12, at 7:30 P. M.

and will continue daily at 10:30 a.m. 2:30 and 7:30 p. m. until all is disposed of. Everything including fixtures and safe,

Will be Sold Without Limit or Reserve. The quality of every article will be guaranteed to be as represented by the auctioneer.

Ladies are Especially Invited to Attend.



A cream of tartar baking powder— H est of all in leavening strength.—U. Government Report, Aug. 7, 1889

CHAMBERLAIN'S Eye and Skin Ointment.

A certain cure for Chronic Sore Eyes, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Scald Head, Old Chronic Sores, Fever Sores, Eczema, Itch, Prairie Scratches, Sore Nipples and Piles. It is cooling and soothing Hundreds of cases have been cured by it after all other treatment had failed 25 and 50 cent boxes for sale by Morganthaler & Heister, Massillon, O

The want column is authority on "sit-

nations and help wanted.'

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

STREET COMMISSIONER. The name of Thomas Volkmor is announced as a candidate for street commissioner, subject to the Democratic primary election. We are authorized to announce the name of John J. Geis as a candidate for Street Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democratic primaries at the spring election.

John B. Snyder, at request of many citizens, announces himself a candidate for Street Com-missioner, subject to the decision of the Repub-lican Primary election.

The name of Wm. Vogt is 'announced as a can didate for street commissioner, subject to the Democratic primary election. The name of Joseph Healey is announced as a candidate for Street Commissioner, subject to the Republican primary election. E. Keller is announced as a candidate for street commissioner, subject to the decision of the Re-publican primary election.

BUCKLEN'S ARNICA SALVE. The best salve in the world for cuts bruisesbsores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Z. T. Baltzly.

NOTICE.

The assessments on Erie Street Sewer and Erie Street Lateral Sewer are to be paid as follows, according to ordinance passed: One-third within 20 days from date. One third in one year-One-third in two years.

Interest added on all deferred payments.

The whole amount can be paid to avoid interest and county penalties. H. W. LOEFFLER, City Clerk.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

ook's Cotton Root COMPOUND Composed of Cotton Root, Tansy and Pennyroyal—a recent discovery by an old physician. Is successfully used monthly—Safe, Effectual. Price \$1, by mail sealed. Ladies, ask your druggist for Cook's Cotton Root Compound and take no substitute. or inclose 2 stamps for scaled particulars. Address POND LILY COMPANY, No. 3 Fisher Block, 131 Woodward ave., Detroit, Mich. Sold in Massillon by Z. T. Baltzly.

TRAVELLER'S REGISTER. WHEELING ALAKE BRIEBAILWAY. North. South Local 7 50 a. m...... In effect June 9th at noon. PITTSBURG, FT. WAYNE & CHICAGO. In effect June 15, 1890.

GOING EAST
Daily except Sunday...
Daily except Sunday...
Oally except Sunday...
GOING WEST

Pullman dining cars are run on trains No. 0 and 9.
For time tables, rates of fare, baggage checks, through tickets, or any further information regarding the running of trains, apply to John A Shoemaker, agent, Massillon, O.

CLEVELAND, AKRON & COLUMBUS. Mount Vernon and Pan'Handle Route at Orrville NO. 35 Express...10:10 p m No. 27 Express...4:20 a m No. 3 Express...3:10 p m No. 3 Express...3:10 p m

CITY TREASURER.

The name of Paul Kirchhofer is announced as a candidate for the nomination for city treasurer, subject to the direction of the Democratic primary election.

COUNCIL.

The name of William Welsck is announced as a candidate for council, from the fourth ward.

Trains 27 and 28 run daily all other trains and 38 have through Pullman sleepers between Cleveniand and Cincinnati.

Trains 2 and 3 make connections with P, Ft, W. & C. trains to and from all points east and west via Orrville.

The C. L. & W. schedule is omitted.

A Fine Assortment of Buggies, all Styles at Young's

Remember Sippo Valley Flour Retails at \$1.25 per 4 bbl Sack.

THE WORK IN CONGRESS.

GENERAL DEBATE ON THE LEGISLA-TIVE APPROPRIATION BILL.

Dalzell Made a Long Speech in Defense of Commander Reiter's Position in the Barrundia Affair-Mr. Lodge Replied, Sustaining the Secretary-The House Passed a Public Building Bill Over the President's Veto-Bills of Minor Importance Passed in the Senate.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11. - The house Tuesday passed a bill increasing to \$100 a month the pension of the widow of Gen. Custer. Leave was granted to the committee on coinage, weights and measures to sit during the sessions of the house. The army and pension appropriation bills were sent to conference. The bill providing for an extension of the public building at Dallas. Tex., at a cost of \$200,000 was reported back. This bill was vetoed by the president. The committee recommended that it be passed over the veto. The bill was passed. The house then went into committee of the whole on the legislative appropriation bill. In the general debate the Barrundia case was revived by Dalzell, of Pennsylvania, who defended the action of Commander Reiter. The public reprimand administered upon Commander Reiter by the secretary of the navy was, he said, unwarranted and unjust. A naval officer had been

Degraded by a Public Reprimand, without the intervention of a court martial. His case was the case of every officer in the service; but, higher than that, the case involved the conduct of our officers in respect to foreign powers Gen. Barrundia had been a notorious Guatemalan, charged with the commission of murder and the embezzlement of public funds, as of high treason. Barrundia was killed on the steamer Aca-pulco by officers undertaking to arrest him, which officers he undertook to murder. At that time two United States ships-of-war, the Ranger and the Thetis, lay in the roadstead, Commander Reiter being the commanding offi-cer. He had not interfered with the arrest. The day after the killing, Reiter had been detached without any reason being assigned for the detachment. Three months afterward the secretary of the navy had addressed him a letter, which was printed in the public press before it was received by Commander Reiter. It was thus apparent that the letter was written by the secretary of the navy. Not to Commander Reiter Alone.

but to the general public. He (Dalzell) would not, he said, criticize the secretary's language and tone, his logic and rhetoric; but whatever the language and tone, whatever that logic and rhet-oric, the letter had become an open, public reprimand of a naval officer of heretofore unquestionable courage and fidelity to duty. It had placed a stigma on his name and a blight on his career. It took from him his dearest possession, and from his children their richest inheritance. To Commander Reiter's de mand for a court-martial came the reply that his demand showed his ignorance of naval discipline. Could it that an honorable officer who had faithfully served his country for many years, was to be degraded and disgraced by the dictum of an official whose career began yesterday and might (in the mutations of politics) end to-morrow? If it could be so, it was high time these should be high time that there should be

Some Legislation on This Subject. He (Dalzell) did not deny the power of the secretary of the navy to express his disapproval of the act of an officer, but he did deny the power of the secretary to administer a public reprimand in time of peace. If Commander Reiter merited public reprimand he merited dismissal from the navy. No secretary of the navy could administer a punish-ment, the effect of which was dismissal, without the intervention of a court martial. He (Mr. Dalzell) stood on the bold defiant ground that the secretary of the navy had exceeded his power when he wrote and published his letter to Reiter. The secretary had exceeded his power and done a wrong that called for redress. For Commander Reiter to have complied with the rule laid down by the secretary of the navy would have been to violate the general practice among the Spanish-American states and the well recognized principles of inter-

Lodge Defends the Secretary. Mr. Lodge, of Massachusetts, came to the defense of the secretary of the navy. When he heard the news of the killing of Barrundia on an American ship he felt a shock of surprise and indignation that such a bloody occurrence had taken place under such circumstances. He had been (in common with other American citizens) ready to suspend judgement. Those facts were now before congress. The argument in defense of Commander Reiter had been an able one, but he did feel, as an American citizen, that the conduct of the American representatives at San Jose was a subject for regret. The course they had taken was a mistaken course. He (Mr. Lodge) could quote numerous cases in which reprimands had been administered publicly by executive officers.

After Reciting the Circumstances of the killing, Mr. Lodge said Barrundia was entitled to the right of asylum from Commander Reiter. He believed that as a question of naval policy, when there might be differences of opinion as to the character of the man who sought an asylum, an American officer should not fold his hands and stand by unmoved while an affray was in progress in an American ship near to him. Without disposing of the bill the committee rose and the house adjourned.

Work in the Senate. In the senate, house bill to establish the customs district of Tennessee, with a substitute constituting Nashville Tenn., a port of delivery, was passed and a conference asked. House bill to fix the wages of certain employes in the government printing office was passed with a substitute providing that all night employes be paid 20 per cent. in addition to the amount paid for day

The Nava! Appropriation Bill, was then taken up. As reported, the bill appropriates \$31,564,000. After a long discussion relative to the merits of land and floating batteries, the reading of the bill was proceeded with, after a number of committee amendments were adopted the bill went over. A message from the president with corre-

labor. A conference on the substitute

spondence relating to the conduct of Commander Reiter in connection with the arrest and killing of Gen. Barrundia, was presented and referred to the committee on naval affairs. The president's veto message on the bill for a public building at Dallas, Tex., (with the action of the house passing the bill over the veto) was presented and reover the veto) was presented and referred to the committee on public buildings and grounds. Eulogies were then delivered on the late Representa-tive Walker, of Missouri, after which the senate, as a mark of respect, ad-

THE SEAL ISLANDS.

Attention Called to the Deplorable Con-

dition of the Natives. WASHINGTON, Feb. 11.—Acting Secretary Nettleton, of the treasury department, yesterday sent to the senate in answer to a senate resolution a number of reports from Treasury Agents Lavender, Goff, Nettleton and Murray and Superintendent Tingle, of the North American Commercial company, showing the situation of matters in the seal islands. Mr. Goff, the agent in charge of the islands, also calls attention to the deplorable condition of the natives, and says that recent arrivals at the islands have prevented the population there from becoming extinct. Pneumonia, he says, has been the great curse among the native population. He paints a vivid picture of the indiscriminate killing of seal by pirates, and contends that the seal rookeries will in time, if the slaughter is permitted to go on, be a thing of the past. In conclusion he suggests that there be no killing of fur seals for their skins on these islands, nor in the waters of Behring sea, for an indefinite number of years, to be named by the secretary of the treasury, letting nature take its course in replenishing

AN EXPENSIVE PREACHER.

He Spouts and Quarrels, However, for \$1

a Year. LOWELL, MASS., Feb. 11.—The trustees of the house of prayer in this city recently decided to dispense with the services of Pastor Arthur S. Davis and told him so. Mr. Davis said he was abused, declared he would not resign and dared the trustees to "fire" him. The trustees thought it might be unchristianlike to "fire" Mr. Davis, and tried to get around the difficulty by reducing his salary to \$1 a year, payable in monthly installments. Mr. Davis accepted the reduction and continued to preach.

THE CHILE INSURRECTION.

Pardon Offered All Rebels Who Will Lay Fown Their Arms.

London, Feb. 11. - Advices from Chile by way of Montevideo indicate that President Balmaceda is getting the upperhand of the insurgents. Four of the seceding war ships have been induced to return to the loyal navy. The president, encouraged by this, is preparing for final effort to extinguish the rebellion. He has issued a proclama-tion offering pardon to all rebels who lay down their arms and return to their

Fiercely Contested Prize Fight. LEADVILLE, Colo., Feb. 11.—One of the best prize fights that ever occurred nearly two hours and was fiercely contested throughout. In the twenty-fourth round Purtell landed a righthander on Holman's neck, knocking him completely out. About \$10,000 changed hands on the result.

To Head Off Pension Attorneys. Washington, Feb. 11. - Assistant Secretary Bussey vesterday forwarded another letter to the commissioner of pensions in regard to the practice among pension attorneys of sending circulars to claimants inducing them to file an application for increase of pension. He inclosed two of these printed circulars addressed to Anthony Martin, a pensioner, who now receives the highest sum to which he is entitled.

Many Narrow Escapes. KEOKUK, IA., Feb. 11.—The extensive

plant of the Tri-State Can Company, near this city, was destroyed by fire yesterday. About 150 men, women, boys and girls were employed by the company, and it was with the greatest difficulty that many of them were got out of the burning building. Nearly all suffered the loss of clothing and tools.

Enlisted Men Must Attend School.

Washington, Feb. 11. — Secretary Proctor has directed that the regulations requiring enlisted men of the army to attend school be enforced. He says that officers fit to command a post ought to have discretion sufficient to manage the schools without friction.

NEWS BRIEFLY TOLD.

The state senate Tuesday passed a bill appropriating \$30,000 to represent Alabama at the world's fair. The general strike of glass workers at Ly-

cent reduction in wages. Charles Pratt, an Englishman, who recently committed suicide at Annecy, France, proves to have been the heir to a fortune of

ons is threatened in consequence of the re-

\$1,400,000, which recently came into his posses-A dispatch received at London from Monte-video, the capital of the republic of Uruguay, says that three Chilian men-of-war which

have seceded from the insurgent fleet arrived Public opinion throughout Rome is cooling toward the new ministry, owing to the belief that it is composed of irreconcilable elements and lacks a common programme. Much difficulty is experienced in filling the minor

A reign of terror exists at Leon Junction, Tex. A few days ago Newton Davis was killed. The persons accused of murdering him will have a preliminary hearing Wednesday. The witnesses are afraid to remain and have left. One is a postmaster, and he has re-

signed. The crew of the American schooner Amanda C. Parker, which was abandoned Jan. 26 in latitude 38 and longitude 68, has been land ed at Liverpool, by the steamship Darial, from Philadelphia. The Amanda C. Parker sailed from Ship island on Dec. 20 for Wilmington, Del. After encountering terrific weather for a month the crew were compelled to abandon the schooner, which was water-logged and dismasted. Soon after being deserted the vessel foundered.

Weather Forecast.

For Western Pennsylvania, Eastern Ohio and West Virginia: Fair weather Wednesday; variable winds; warmer by Thursday morning.

RAILROAD DISASTER.

AN EXPRESS DASHES INTO A WILDCAT ENGINE.

Train Was Running at a High Speed-Both Engines Were Demolished and Thrown to Either Side of the Track-Engineer and Fireman of the Express Removed from the Wreck in a Dying Condition -Other Engineer and Fireman Were Killed-Passengers Seriously Injured.

GROVELAND, N. Y., Feb. 11.—The Delaware, Lackawanna and Western train, leaving Buffalo last night, met with a serious accident at this station about 9:30 p. m. The accident was caused by the collision of express train No. 8 with wildcat engine No. 17. The train was going at a high rate of speed, when it collided with the engine just as the latter was moving off from the main track to the switch. The express engine was thrown to the east side of the track and completely turned over. Its tender was on the other side. The wildcat engine likewise was demolished, and was on the west side of the track. The passengers all received a severe shaking up and several were seriously injured. The engineer of the express train, James Powers, was badly crushed and was removed from the wreck in a dying condition. His fireman, name unknown, was fatally injured. James Powers, nephew of the engineer, who was employed on the express engine, was badly injured internally and died within half an hour. The fireman of the wildcat engine, Albert Englehart, was also

TEN PERSONS INJURED.

A Passenger Train Wrecked and Then Destroyed by Fire.

WEST UNION, IA., Feb. 11.—A regular passenger train on the Burlington, Cedar Rapids and Northern railroad was ditched near Randalia by a broken rail. Fire broke out in the mail car, and the entire train was burned. Ten passengers were seriously injured. All the mail, including registered letters, was destroyed. A traveling salesman saved \$30,000 worth of jewelry by crawling into the baggage car and securing it.

A Boiler Wrecks a Building.

LITTLE ROCK, ARK., Feb. 11.—The boiler in Pettefer Brothers' planing mill, on Cumberland street, exploded with terrific force yesterday. The beiler house was completely wrecked, the neighborhood receiving a shower of bricks that broke hundreds of panes of glass. Portions of the boiler were thrown a distance of five blocks. No one was injured by the accident.

CLEARING THE LAKE FRONT.

The Work of Preparation for the World's

CHICAGO, Feb. 11.—At the meeting of the city council an order was passed terminating the city's lease with the Inter-State Industrial Exposition company, of Chicago, and ordering the building torn down within ninety days. Thus the work of clearing the lake front preparatory to the world's fair has begun. The exposition building was erected in 1873, and in it have been held three national political conventions-one Democratic and two Republican—besides concerts, in which nearly all the great artists of the world have been heard, annual expositions, fat stock

Concealed His Money in a Parlor Stove. St. Louis, Feb. 11.—James Gaffney, living with his family at 7304 South Broadway, is an industrious Irishman and has saved considerable money. He had about \$2,800, which he placed in a small wooden box and concealed in an unused parlor stove. Last Sunday afternoon he started a fire in the stove. a few minutes his wife thought of the money and a frantic struggle began to rescue it from the fire. About \$500 was entirely destroyed and the balance was badly mutilated.

The Mistake Cost Him His Life.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 11.-William Kyle' of Forty-fourth street, died yesterday from the effects of four ounces of ammonia given to him by a friend named Cherry in mistake for cirate of mag-nesia. Mr. Kyle has been ill for several months, and when his friend Cherry called he asked him for the bottle, pointing it out, and thinking it was the latter remedy. Mr. Kyle was 82 years old and the father of seventeen children, five of whom are still living.

Children Crushed Beneath a Chimney MAHANOY CITY, Pa., Feb. 11.—Yesterday while the school children of the New Boston school house, located near New Boston breaker, which was burned down Monday night were congregated around the ruins, the chimney toppled over, falling upon and instantly killing Maggie Boyce and injuring, perhaps fatally, Tillie Fragg, and internally injuring John Young. The chilren's ages ranged from 10 to 12 years.

The Fight Was Fatal.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 11.—William Idler, the man who was run over by a street car on Rebecca street Monday night, died at the Allegheny General hospital yesterday. Patrick St. Clair confessed last evening that he and Idler had been drinking and that he knocked Idler down as the car came along. He will be held for trial.

Awaiting the Coming of Spring. ARKANSAS CITY, KAS., Feb. 11.-Mr. Cowlson, of Kingfisher, has just returned from a visit to Washington. He reports that he heard directly from President Harrison that the Cherokee outlet would be thrown open for settlement in the spring. Col. A. A. Newman, of this city, is in receipt of news to the same effect.

James H. Reed the Man.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11.—The president sent to the senate yesterday the following nominations: To be United States district judges, James H. Reed, of Pennsylvania, for the western district of Pennsylvania; James H. Beatty, of Idaho, for the district of Idoho.

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.-Jack Glasscock has signed with the New York Baseball of this city, took an overdose of arsenic has signed with the New 10th Dagossip club. This puts an end to the gossip about players refusing to play in the lives were only saved by the promptest medical attention.

THE OLD CRUSADE

Revived at East Liverpool, Where the Selooms Are V sited.

EAST LIVERPOOL, O., Feb. 11.-Four weeks of the most successful union revival meetings ever held in Eastern Ohio have just been brought to a close The evangelists, Mayer Cole and Mr. Jewett, who have conducted the services, say such success was never before attained in any community, over 1.500 persons having confessed. Over 900 o is number have been received into the different Protestant churches. Other will be received next Sunday. A co mittee of forty ladies and gentlemer were appointed to visit the saloons forty-five in number, praying in the saloons and on the streets, asking the keepers to close up and embark in other business. They were treated nicely a all places and much encouraged in their work.

A DOUBLE-HEADED DEFENSE.

The Standard's Answer to the Petition of Ohio's Attorney General.

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 11.—The Standard Oil company yesterday filed their an swer to the petition of the attorney general in the supreme court, to ous the company from its charter. The set forth that the company did not en ter the trust in an incorporated ca pacity, but that many individuals of the same were interested in other companies, and it was these interests which were consolidated and became partie to the trust. If this should not hold good, they claim, as a second defense that the state is barred by the five year limit, the company having been a part of the trust more than this length of time.

Robt. Senry Dead. Youngstown, O., Feb. 11.—Robt Senry, ex-commissioner of Mahoning county, died at his home near Lew !! ille, nine miles east of here. Duri the six years in which he served member of the board of county con missioners the affairs of the count were conducted with scrupulous hon He leaves a wife and family in comfortable circumstances.

Crushed in a Terrible Manner. STEUBENVILLE, O., Feb. 11.-Andrew Gamble, an employe at the Riverside furnace, was caught between the bump ers of two cars in the yards and crushed in a terrible manner. He was taken to his home. His injuries are very serious and may prove fatal. He is about 48 years of age and has a wife and several chilaren.

Killed by the Cars.

EAST PALESTINE, O., Feb. 11.-While the local freight was shifting cars at Enon Valley Gus Essenwine fell from one of the cars, alighting on the track. Two of the cars passed over him, cut ing off both legs and causing other njuries, from which he died. Mr. Esenwine leaves a wife and three small

Joseph Mekley Kills His Wife. MARION, O., Feb. 11.—Joseph Mekley, of Dayton, shot and killed his wife Belle, in a Marion brothel, where she was cook. Mekley belongs to a respectable Dayton family and came to his wife to get her to sign a deed. When she refused to sign the document he murdered her. Mekley was arrested.

Back in the Fifties.

ZANESVILLE, O., Feb. 11.—Dr. J. M. out, for many years a practicing phy sician of this city, died at Taylorsville after lying helpless for four years, having been stricken with paralysis. Back in the fifties he represented Monroe ounty in the legislature.

Never Too Old to Wed.

Manchester, O., Feb. 11.—Herbert Wilson, aged 75, a wealthy farmer of Lewis county, Kentucky, was married here to Mrs. Mary McAdow, aged 48, of this county. Both parties are highly connected.

MR. M'CULLOUGH'S FUNERAL.

All the Arrangements for the Intermen Completed.

PITTSBURG, Feb. 11.—Arrangement for the obsequies of the late J. N. Mc-Cullough are complete. The honorary pall bearers will be B. F. Jones, John W. Chalfant, Joshua Rhodes, A. E. W. Painter, Calvin Wells, Capt. John P. Green, third vice president of the Pennsylvania railroad; Frank Thomson, second vice president; James McCrea, second vice president Pennsylvania company; J. T. Brooks, general counsel; William Mullins, purchasing agent.
William Stewart, general freight agent. E. Davidson, treasurer of the Pennsylvania company. Services will be conducted at the residence, Irwin avenue, Allegheny, at noon to-day, and the remains and friends will be conveyed to Wellsville in a special train of five cars.

A LEARNED PRIEST DYING.

Appointed by the Present Pope, Who Was Then a Bishop in an Obscure Town.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 11.—Very Rev. P. A. Stanton, who received his subdeaconship at the hands of the present pope, Leo XIII, when the latter was bishop in a little town of Italy, and who has since become one of the most learned in the councils of the Catholic church, is lying at the point of death at the pastoral residence of the Church of St. Augustine.

Steel Workers Resume Work.

CHICAGO, Feb. 11.—The furnaces of the Illinois Steel company have resumed operations, the 500 strikers disavowing the action of the sub-committee, which ordered the cessation of work. Another committee in behalf of the men signed the sliding scale proposed by the company for the coming two years. The strike of the furnacemen temporarily made idle 4,000 employes.

For the First Time in Four Years.

SAN ANTONIO, TEX., Feb. 11.—Yesterday, for the first time in four years every gambling room in the city was closed, and there is no faro or anything of that sort in progress. The houses were not raided. They were simply ordered by Sheriff McCall to close up and every one obeyed the order

Took Poision for Their Complexion. Kearney, Neb., Feb. 11.—Misses Bob Mott and Lida Pickering, young women



Lenox Soap lathers freely in hard water.

Five cents a cake, (12 ounces.)

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GOLD MEDAL, PARIS, 1878.



No Chemicals

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are used in its preparation. It has more than three times the strength of Cocoa mixed with Starch, Arrowroot or Sugar, and is therefore far more economical, costing less than one cent a cup. It is delicious, nourishing, strengthening, EASILY DIGESTED, and admirably adapted for invalids as well as for persons in health.

Sold by Grocers everywhere. W. BAKER & CO., Dorchester, Mass.

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TO THE PUBLIC

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New Laundry at No. 45 East Main Street
Where he will be prepared to show to the pullic the finest work in his line. He has the latest improved machinery.
New Shirts, 13c, 2 for 25c Shirts, 10c. Collars, 2c Ladies Collars, 2 for 5c. Cuffs. 4c.

THE WORLD OF WANTS



This column is the best read department in THE INDEPENDENT. The publishers are able to guarantee a careful reading of every advertise. ment inserted. Its usefulness has been particularly well proven in cases of articles lost and found. Hundreds of dollars worth of missing property has, through this medium, been restored to its owners. Copy must be left not later than la. m, to insure insertion the same day. An even charge of 25 cents is made for six puolica tions, adver isement not to exceed four lines.

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DWELLING HOUSE—On Wellman street near Grace chapel, six rooms, summer kitchen, city water and cistern, everything in good order. Possession given at once. Apply to Dr. H. B. Garrigues.

WELLINGS-Two dwellings ready March 1, also part of double house on East street. Pos-ses ion given at once. J. E. Johns, agent. 9.6t HOUSE—Of eight rooms on corner of Oak and Hill street Has soft coal furnace, gas fixtures cistern well and city water, also good stable. J. K. Russell.

HOUSE—Of five rooms in good repair conveniently located, Call upon E. A. Jones, 188
East Tremont street. 22-6t

Poom AND Hall—One room on first floor, Hall on third floor in Bammerlin block.
Possession given April 1st Cill on N. H. Willaman, at furniture rooms; 42 and 44 S. Erie, St. or Frank Schworm at Alorigat & Co.'s 11-ti

STOREROOM—Small storeroom for rent, on W, Main street, formerly Bucher's office; Call at Graze & Sonuhalter's grocery 14-tf

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GENT—General State Agent ito open head-quarters in some principal city, assume exclusive control of our business and appoint local and sub-agents in every city in this State; goods we I known staple, as flour, in universal demand, and pay a net profit of 50 to 100 per cent. Address The Union Company, 744 Broadway, New York, f2-tf

A UCTIONFER-Anybody requiring the ser.

One from the country preferred. Address A care Independent Co. 10-6

HOU'E-To rent a small house well located with celler. Address PO. Box 107 city. 10-6

HOUSE—By April ist, an 8 or 10 room house; Must be in good location on East Side, and in good repair. Must have bath room, gas, etc. Add ess M. E. H this office.

THE Independent will appreciate mention of

For Sale or Rent: House—A new house of 5 frooms, elegantiy finished interior. Well located on Richville Avenue. Inquire at 172 Richville Ave. 24-tf

MILE WIND SHOOM COWS—Two fresh milch cows—both young— one a Jersey.—Enquire of H. Beatty, 275 East Main street. 29-tf

HOUSE—A seven room house, No. 19 Wellman street, only five minutes walk from center of town. Any one wishing to purchase, please all at promises.

House—A seven roomed house and bath room haiso a good stable and other necessary out-buildings, cistern, and fruit trees; situated at the corner of Duncan and Green streets. Lot 60x185 feet. Inquire on the premises.

HOUSE—As x room house, No. 204 N. Clay street, in good repair, also good out building Anyone wishing to purchase should call at premises. For sale cheap.

OUSE—A ten room house on E. Main street, No. 268, in good repair also good our building. Any one withing to purchase should call at premises. G. W. Castleman. 24-tf HOUSE AND LOT—A four room house, No. 46, Cliff street, in good repair. Any one wisning to purchase should call at pre ises. Edwin Reese.

JERSEY COWS-Two first-class Jersey cows, Apply to P. G. Albright Administrator. 16 Limestone—Crushed limestone for walks, in large or small quantities. Inquire of J. V. R.

LOT-One lot on Plum street near Mill street. 7-6t MARE—A nne driving mare, 7 years old; bug-gy and barness. Inquire of D. P. Clapper, 229 West Main street. 9-6t

Mof ERN COTTAGE—One of the healthiest in town, ten rooms, eight closets and partry, gas, &c.—ive minutes walk from postoffice.

Wellman street of Mrs. J. F. Paul.

PLATE GLASS FRONT—The large imported French glass windows and iron columns now constituting front of Dielhenn's grocery. Apply at.store.

PIANO—A good square piano. Will'sell cheap as I expect to leave town, Mrs. J. F, Paul No. 22 Weilman street.

STOREROOM—Of the late Henry C. Falor, N 24 Richville Ave. Price \$ 50. Building to be moved off the premises. Inquire on the prem-ises.

WAGON-One first-class trotting skeleton wagon, Inquire at Wilcox House, West Main street. THE Independent will be obliged to those who answer advertisement under this head, if they will kindly state that they were attracted by means of this paper.

E. D. Wileman, ENGINEER & SURVEYOR,

OFFICE IN WARWICK BLOCK.

All work accurately and promptly attended to. P. O. Box, 47. Real Estate bought, sold and exchanged



EIGHT HOURS PER DAY.

UNITED MINE WORKERS OF AMERICA IN CONVENTION.

The American Federation of Labor Has Selected This Giant Organization to Make the Next Great National Struggle -Thousands of Workmen, Backed by Millions of Dollars, Will Engage in the Battle - Hop. Samuel Gompers Addressed the Convention.

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 11.—High above the stage of city hall, in evergreen letters a foot long, hangs the motto, "Eight hours, only, per day." Elsewhere upon the walls of the spacious room are other mottoes having a similar import. They express the sentiment and indicate the future demands of the United Mine Workers of America, whose first annual convention began here yesterday. The American Federation, it is known, has selected the giant miners' organization to make the next great national struggle for eight hours. Thousands of workmen, with an almost perfect organization and backed by millions of dollars, will be engaged in the battle against aggregated capital. At this mine workers' annual convention it is expected that much of the preliminary detail of the impending battle will be arranged. For this reason the session is attracting national interest from other than the mining interests. Beside the general officers of the mine workers, many distinguished labor leaders are present, among whom are Hon. Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor; Secre-tary-Treasurer Hayes of the K. of L. general assembly; A. W. Wright, member of the general executive board, K. of L.; Hugh J. Cavanaugh, general worthy foreman, K. of L., and Hon. John McBride, Ohio state commissioner of labor statistics. At the morning session, committees on credentials and on rules having been appointed, a committee was sent to escort President Gompers and the other distinguished gentle-men to the hall. When they appeared upon the stage,

A Dramatic Scene Ensued. President John E. Rae, of the United Mine Workers, stepped forward to the front of the platform, holding in his own the hands of Mr. Gompers, of the American Federation and Mr. Wright, of the Knights of Labor. The resonant cheers, which a moment before had beat against the roof of the vast hall, were for a moment hushed into stillness, profound. Said President Rae, in tones of triumph and exulta-"These clasped hands are indicative of the true spirit of fraternity of feeling which joins and cements the interests of these labor organizations.' Then again great volumes of pandemoniac sound broke the stillness. Cheer upon cheer, from the lusty throats of brawny miners, rose to the ceiling and was echoed back only to be caught and returned upon an advancing wave of renewed applause. President Gom-pers then addressed the convention, his remarks treating

Principally of the Eight-Hour Movement. He said, substantially: "I think the very happy incident just given by your president indicates the feeling between the labor organizations of our country. I think it would be appropos to speak of the eight-hour movement. The American Federation of Labor decided that there shall be a successive movement of national trades for the establishment of the eight-hour work day. We believe, or rather the history of the labor organizations illustrates, that a reduction in the hours of labor has been invariably followed by an increase in wages; also a betterment of the condition of the wage workers. It gives them that most important factor in life—time; time that commences with our first rest and ends only when we die; time to cultivate our minds, our bodies; time to devote to our families, to raise our children as they should be raised, to promote the fraternal feeling among men. There is no one question so far reaching that promises so great results and to accomplish our emancipation as

To Reduce the Hours of Labor. Movements of labor for reform are rewarded an amount of success in the same degree that there is a spirit of valor on the one hand, a spirit of ag-gressiveness on the other. No faint-heartedness in the labor movement ought to be tolerated. We must go at it determinedly and not take a step backward. I recognize the representa-tive character of this convention and its power to do good work. You not only are required to carry out the instructions of previous conven-tions of miners, but come fresh from your constituents, knowing their wants and feelings, and you are in a position to legislate positively their wishes. You also have the wishes of other trades to carry out, that you insist on the enforcement of the eight-hour work day [applause] May 1, 1891,

Must Witness the Inauguration for the miners of the country of an eight-hour work day. You will meet in conference in a few months with the operators. Let them understand that the United Mine Workers are a unit on at least one question; that is eight hours; that you are standing as a solid phalanx from the Atlantic to the Pacific, from gulf to gulf, for an eight-hour work lay. There must be perfect accord and frankness with us. All through the working forces of the country there is a pulse beat, a common impulse for the success of this movement. The impetus obtained by the miners this year will give the employers such an idea that a suspension will not be necessary in the other trades to secure eight hours. I hope they will show the good sense to concede you eight hours.

GEN. SHERMAN SICK.

The Attending Physicians Report Symp-

toms of Erysipelas. NEW YORK, Feb. 11.-Gen. W. T. Sherman has been suffering from a severe cold during the past three days, and yesterday he was confined to his The phys icians in attendance report symptoms of erysipelas. The doctors say, however, that there is nothing serious about the general's illness. Senator Sherman, of Ohio, is at the pedside of his brother.

Got Caught in the Blizzard. WINONA, MINN., Feb. 11.-Two boys, aged 10 and 12, sons of a German farmer named August Ford, were found dead resterday two miles northwest of Utica. They got caught in the blizzard.

TO CREATE ANOTHER CIRCUIT.

A Bill by the Judiciary Committee to Divide the Judicial Districts of the United States Into Ten Circuits.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 11 .- A bill prepared by the judiciary committee to divide the judicial districts of the United States into ten circuits was reported to the senate yesterday by Mr. Boar. There are at present nine circuits and the bill changes the boundaries of those so as to create another circuit. The first and s cond circuits remain as at present. Maryland is included in the third and the fourth is to include West Virginia, Virginia, Ohio and Kentucky; the fifth, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, Alabama, Georgia and Florida; the sixth, Indiana, Illinois and Michi-ran; the seventh, Texas, Missouri, Arkansas, Louisiana and Mississippi; he eighth, Minnesota, Iowa, Nebraska, Kansas and Wisconsin; the ninth, Montana, Idaho, Wyoming, Colorado, North Dakota and South Dakota, and the tenth, Washington, Oregon, Nevada and California. It is provided by the bill that the chief justice and associate justices of the supreme court are to be assigned to the circuits by the court and a new allotment is to be made whenever it becomes necessary by reason of alteration by a new appointment to the supreme bench.

Twenty-Five Cases of Smallpox. GRAFTON, KAN., Feb. 11.—Twenty-five cases of smallpox are said to exist in this village. One patient has already died. Strict quarantine regulations are enforced, and the only means of com-munication with the outside world is by

THE OHIO LEGISLATURE.

Doubt as to Whether the Proclamation of Gov. Campbell for a Special Election in the Twelfth District is Legal.

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 11.-There has been considerable talk as to whether Senator Thompson, successor of the late Senator Robertson, could decline his seat and whether the proclamation of Governor Campbell for a special election in the Twelfth district on Feb. 19 is legal. Governor Campbell holds that Mr. Thompson is not a member of the senate and could not be declared such without presenting himself for qualifi-cation before the proper officials of that body. The governor cites section 25 of the revised statutes in support of his opinion, and thinks his proclamation is legal. It is now positively stated that Representative Donovan and Senator Pattison, who were elected to congress, will not resign their seats in the Ohio legislature on March 3. Should Senator Pattison resign it leaves the Democrats without hope of securing a quorum in the senate, and the Democrats fear the Republicans would cut down appropriations so as to cause deficiencies, which would make excellent campaign capital

Preceedings in the House.

There were many bills introduced in the house and many on the calendar passed, but most were local. Mr. Geyer's bill restoring to Paulding county all the lands vacated by the canal was passed after a heated discussion. The measure was fought by Representing Beard and Dreshach, who are resentives Beard and Dresbach, who argued that the bill was setting a precedent; that there were a half dozen counties along the Wabash and Erie canal between Defiance and Toledo in which the state claimed a title to proportion of the three coveral counties. and that these several counties would follow with a like demand that it would be made over to them. Mr. Taylor, of Champaign, offered an amendment, which was accepted by Mr. Geyer, providing that the canal lands be sold to the county at a price to be agreed upon by the state board of public works and county commissioners.

Mr. Counts, of Shelby, introduced in the house two bills to regulate the rela-tions between municipalities and natural gas, manufactured gas or electric light companies. One of the bills provides that council may regulate the size of and price to be charged for the ase of all meters where gas is used for

It Also Empowers Council

to make such reasonable rules as will properly regulate the conducting of business. The other bill by Mr. Counts is to prevent any member of a city council from being connected with a natural gas, manufactured gas, fuel or electric light company supplying the municipality with their products. Representative Messer's sanitary measure in the interest of stock owners as in-dorsed by the agricultural convention passed the house. It compels owners of stock dying from contagious disease to bury the same four feet under ground. Senator Soncrant introduced a bill to take the place of the Rawlings bill. It provides that at the same time of listing personal property for taxation the manufacturer shall return all his personal possessions, including raw material and manufactured goods, and shall attest on oath or affirmation, In this connection it is worthy of note that Congressman-elect Harter has written a letter urging the passage of Senator Alexander's bill, which repeals that section upon which both the Rawlings and Soncrant bills are based.

Incorporated.

COLUMBUS, O., Feb. 11.—The following articles were filed yesterday: National Iron and Wire company, Cleveland, \$10,000 the Garfield Creamery company, Garfield station, Mahoning county, \$5,000; Cincinnati Edison Electric tric company, \$1,000,000; the Smith Brothers Hardware company, Columbus, \$20,000; Mt. Sterling Fair company, Mt. Sterling, \$10,000.

CONDENSED OHIO NEWS.

By order of Governor Campbell, Walter Williams, aged 16 years, serving a two-year sent nce in the pen from Hamcounty for burglary, has been transferred to the reform school at

At Bellaire, Henry Schaefer, at the request of Lawyer McGeachy, signed a blank bit of paper, which was to be used in a legal case pending. Some days later Schaefer was presented with a note for \$100 by Lawyer Smith, who discounted it for McGeachy. Schaefer kicked, and the grand jury is investi-

Measuring by the Eye. Young Lady-I want a pair of shoes, arge and comfortable. Two will do. New Boy (glancing at her foot)-Mr. Leather, the lady wants two shoes, large and comfortable. Where's that box of sixes?-Street & Smith's Good News.

THE MANAGERS OF NEWSPAPERS. Something About Their National Association Soon to Meet. [Special Correspondence.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.-Whatever measure of success may be attained by a newspaper is generally credited by the public to the able editor; if, on the contrary, the paper fails or drags out a miserable existence, the failure is ascribed to bad business management. Between the able editor and the humble publisher it has been for years a game of "heads I win, tails you lose," so far as reputation

has been concerned. The man who sits up stairs and thinks thoughts and scratches them down on a pad with a stub pencil takes all the credit, while the publisher who sells the paper and hustles around to pay salaries is regarded as a mere sordid money grubber. Yet if the publisher fails to sell the papers printed, or neglects to secure sufficient advertising, or does not make satisfactory arrangements with the printers, or slips up in any of his multifarious duties the thinker of thoughts can cogitate until his gray matter becomes mushy.

People are beginning to realize that the genius which evolves learned editorials on the McKinley bill and constructs pyramidal head lines over a news sensation must be supplemented by an equally pronounced genius in a different line, if the public are to be induced to read the editorials and the head lines, and the paper is to be a success. Those who are more intimately connected with journalism have discovered that while the peculiar quality of brains which line the skull of a successful edit. or are not too plentiful, the combination which goes to make up the successful publisher is very rare indeed.

In other words, the business end of journalism is coming to the front as a distinct profession, and its value is being appreciated. The publisher must be something more than an ordinary business man; he must be endowed with the journalistic instinct and know the value of a dollar as well. He must keep a close watch upon the public fancy, and know how to sell the paper which the ed-

If the compositors and pressmen strike at midnight it is the publisher's business to see that the paper comes out on time. If the editor gets into a libel suit the publisher must pay the lawyers and possibly the damages, and in a good many cases the publisher must hire the editors. He must be active in luring the elusive dollar from the pocket of the advertiser, and he must be as stiff as iron with the advertising agent who wants to cut the rates in half, and then take 50 per cent. commission on the balance. He must see to the credit of advertisers, and he must be as careful that he has every advertisement which appears in the columns of his hated rival as the news editor up stairs is not to be beaten on a piece of news. If any one thinks that the publisher has a sinecure he should try it for a week. It would materially change his ideas.

Naturally the first thing for a profession to do when it begins to feel its own importance is to organize. Aggressive organization is the keynote of the age. The American Newspaper Publisher's association is a comparatively youn stitution, but it is a very healthy infant indeed. The A. N. P. A., as the association is called by people who realize that life is short and time is fleeting, was born in Rochester, in February, 1887. The mother was a well defined necessity, and the godfathers were J. Ambrose Butler, of The Buffalo News, and W. H. Brearley, of The Detroit Journal.

It did not take long for the astute publishers of the country to see the value of such an association, and today it has a membership of nearly one hundred and fifty newspapers, representing over twothirds of the newspaper circulation of the United States. In other words, almost without exception, all the biggest papers are in it. The president, Mr. James W. Scott, of The Chicago Herald and Chicago Evening Post, is now serving his second term. He is one of the shrewdest and most popular publishers in the country and a wonderfully capable executive officer. He is president of the United Press, the great telegraphic news organization; was three years president of the Chicago Press club, and has been twice elected unanimously to the presidency of the A. N. P. A. It comes as natural to address him as Mr. President as it is to call a Kentucky man colonel.

Mr. S. H. Kauffmann, of The Washington Star, is vice president, and is an active, energetic worker. Mr. W. M. Laffan, publisher of The New York Sun, takes care of the finances, and Mr. R. H. Campe, of The Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph, is secretary. The executive committee is made up of equally representative men—W. C. Bryant, of The Brooklyn Times; Col. L. L. Morgan, of The New Haven Register and Boston Post; Col. E. H. Woods, of The Boston Herald; Mr. C. W. Knapp, of The St. Louis Republic, and Mr. Lewis Baker, of The St. Paul Globe, administer the affairs of the association judiciously and conserv-

atively. The New York office, from which weekly bulletins and all sorts of confidential information is sent out to members, is under the management of Mr. George M. Brennan, a young man of experience and shrewdness, whose special training in the advertising business and wide acquaintance among advertisers peculiarly fit him for the work.

The convention which is to be held this year at the Hoffman House, on Feb. 11 and 12, will call together a meeting of newspaper men such as is rarely seen under one roof. Publishers from St. Independent Company is the cream of Paul and New Orleans, Boscott and San the market. The efforts are more ar-Paul and New Orleans, Boston and San Francisco, Oregon and Florida will be there. It would take too much space and would hardly be of interest to the layman to detail the objects and work of

the A. N. P. A. It is not out of the way to state, however, that this association has done more in its short existence toward harmonizing, systematizing and elevating the rilla. business department of the newspaper press than any other agency. ALLAN FORMAN.

THE ANIMAL KINGDOM.

California now has six ostrich farms. This country spends about \$3,000,000 a year for ostrich feathers.

An Ottawa (Kan.) man has a rooster which is so large that it has to be helped on its perch every night.

The metallic tones of the urafonge, a Brazilian bird, are said to resound through the forest like the strokes of a hammer of

Phil Krantz, of Hawley, Pa., recently shot a deer in Pike county, one of whos antlers was perfectly smooth, without any prong, while the other has three large

The wild cockatoos of Queensland, when plundering a cornfield post sentinels to give an alarm. If one bird is shot the oth ers, instead of at once taking to flight hover screaming over their dead comrade until many of them share his fate.

While some boys and a dog were chasing a rabbit at Rich Hill recently it took shelt er under a hen with a broad of chickens The old hen nearly picked and scratched the eyes out of the dog, and from that day the hen and the rabbit are inseparable.

A covey of seventeen partridges was found dead in Prussia recently with their heads together. The whole covey was struck by lightning. One could plainly see where the flash had struck a little mound and proceeded along the ground.

A Good Record .- "I have sold Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for ten years, says druggist E. B. Legg, of Vail, Ia. 'and have always warranted it and never bad a bottle returned. During the past 90 days I have sold twelve dozen and it has given perfect satisfaction in every instance." It does not dry up a cough, but loosens and relieves it. will cure a severe cold in less time than other treatment. 50 cent and \$1 bottles for sale by Morganthaler & Heister.

The Pulpit and Stage.

Kev F. M. Shrout, Pastor United Brethdrn Church, Blue Mound, Kas., says; "I feel it my duty to tell what wonders King's New Discoveay has done for me. My Lungs were badly diseased, and my parishioners thought I could live only a feww weeks. I took five bottler of Dr. King's New Discovery and am sound

and well. gaining 26 lbs in weight.

Authur Love's Manager Love's Funny
Folks Combination, writes: "After a
through trial and convincing evidence, I am confident Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, beats'em all, and cures when everything else fais. The greatest kindness I can do my thousand of friends is to urge them to try it. free trirl bottles at Z. T Baltzly's Drug Store. Regular size 50c and \$1.00.

The senior proprietor of this paper has been subject to frequent colds fo some years, which were sure to lay him up if not doctored at once. He finds that Chambelain's Cough remedy is re-liable. It opens the secretions, relieves the lungs and restores the system to a healthy condition. If freely used as soon as the cold is contracted, and before it has become settled in the system, it greatly lessens the attack and often cures in a single day what would otherwise have been a severe cold.—North-western Hotel Reporter, Des Moines, Ia. 50 cent bottles for sale by Morganthaier & Heister.

The Champion Tennis Player as well as the newest beginner will find Tiddledy Wink tennis an excellent sub-

stitute for the original article.

The transition from long, lingering and paintul sickness to robust health marks an epoch in the life of the indi-vrdual. Such a remarkable event is treasured in the memory and the agency whereby the good health has been at tained is gratefully blessed. Hence it is that somuch is heard in praise of Electric Bitters. So many feel they owe their restoration to health, to the use of the Great Alternative and Tonic. If you are troubled with any disease of Kidneys, Liver or Stomach, of long or short standing you will surely find relief by use of Electric Bitters. Sold at 50c. and \$1 per bottle, at Baltzly's Dress tore.3

A gentleman in Union county, Mo, who is too modest a man to have his name mentioned in the newspapers, was cured of rheumatism by Chamberlain's Pain Balm, after trying other medfcines and treatments for thirteen years. 50 cent bottles for sale by Morganthaler & Heister.

A Blessing to Humanity.

This is what N. H. Andrews, a prominent citizen of Springfield, O, says: "It affords me great pleasure to assure my friends that I have received both imme diate and permanent relief of throat, bronchial and asthmatic trouble in the use of Dr. Acker's English Remedy. It is certainly a good honest medicine and a blessing to humanity." The above preparation we sell on a positive guarantee; it has given better satisfaction than any other remedy we have ever sold. J. M. Schuckers, and E. S. Craig druggist, Massillon, O.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria, When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria, When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria, When she had Children, she gave them Castoris

About Valentines.

The valentine is with us again. These symbolic offerings at the shrine of love continue to be bought and sent, and each year brings new and attractive ideas, many of which are distinctly novel and original, while in the higher and more artistic efforts of the manufacturers there is a marked tendency toward more dainty embodiments and cor-

tistic, the designs more beautiful, the variety larger, and the prices cheaper than ever before.

THE INDEPENDENT COMPANY, 20 East Main street.

No other preparation combines the positive economy, the peculiar merit and the medicinal power of Hood's Sarsapa-

Crushed limestone for walks. Large or small quantities. Inquire of J. V. R.

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Kills Worms, gives sleep, and proving stomach, Diarrhea, Eructation, Except to me." 111 So. Oxford St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

gestion, Without injurious medication.

THE CENTAUR COMPANY, 77 MUITAY Street, N. Y.

Don't Buy Until You Seel Young's Stock of Buggies



WHY DO YOU COUGH?

Do you know that a little cough is a dangerous thing? Are you aware that it often fastens on the lungs and far too often runs into Consumption and ends in Death? People suffering from Asthma, Bronchitis, Pneumonia and Consumption will all tell you that

"IT STARTED WITH A COLD." Can you afford to neglect it? Can you trifle with so serious a matter? Are you aware that

DR. ACKER'S ENGLISH REMEDY for Coughs, Colds and Consumption is beyond question the greatest of all Modern Remedies? It will stop a Cough in one night. It will check a Cold in a day. It will prevent Croup, relieve Asthma and cure Consumption if taken in time, "You can't afford to be without it." A 25 cent bottle may save you \$100 in Doctor's bills—may save your life! Ask your druggist for it, or write to W. H. Hooker & Co., 46 West Broadway, New York, for book.

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